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## QUIET IN HAVANA AS TROOPS LAND

No Trouble is Apprehended by The Department.

Taft and Bacon Surprise Cubans With Affability, Energy and Tact on Mission.

NO DEMONSTRATION IS MADE.

Havana, Oct. 1.—The city is quiet today, not the slightest disturbance following the landing marines and blue jackets. About 20,000 men from the American war ships in the harbor began coming ashore early today. It will not be long until the entire number is in camp Columbia. No parade of landed forces was held, the men being dispatched at once to their headquarters. An additional force of 500 marines arrived today on the battleship Kentucky, and will be landed before the day is over. The 450 marines and blue jackets who had been already landed here were sent to Cienfuegos.

**Commissioners Are Busy.**  
Havana, Oct. 1.—The headquarters of the American commissioners was transferred from the battleship which brought them to Cuba to a house in Mariana soon after their arrival.

Both Secretaries Taft and Bacon rise at 7 o'clock, and by 8 have finished breakfast, which in this country is a very light repast of rolls and coffee.

Nothing connected with the visit of these two distinguished gentlemen has impressed the Cubans so deeply as the courtesy with which they get to business and the devotion with which they continue at work hour after hour.

Their frank cordiality to all classes of visitors has been another agreeable surprise to the Cubans. They have been so accustomed to partisanship on the part of public men that Secretary Taft's friendly attitude to all persons who can aid him in his task, his candid desire to gather information from every source, strikes them as a remarkable novelty. The entire absence of formality at the Finea de Hidalgo is in agreeable contrast with the tedious etiquette in President Palma's official home.

The visitors are ushered into his presence and dismissed with the greatest economy of physical energy. Important, indeed, must be the individual whom the portly secretary honors with his escort beyond the door. There is an automobile always in attendance. After dinner the secretary sometimes takes an outing along the "Callejón," but most of his evenings are spent in the elaboration of data collected during the day. It is not expected in Havana that Secretary Taft will make any announcement of the conclusions to which he comes before his return to Washington. It is felt that the gravity of the situation is such that he will wish to confer personally with the president before publishing his recommendations. There does not seem to be any reason to doubt that the information which he has obtained so far shows that the present rebellion can be satisfactorily arranged. The government is practically obliged to do whatever may be desired by the United States.

**Cuba's Annexation Foreshadowed.**  
Washington, Oct. 1.—Secretary Taft's proclamation declaring himself military governor of Cuba is regarded here as foreshadowing with almost certainty the formal annexation of the island within the next six months. High military and naval authorities express this view with remarkable unanimity. It was strongly intimated in one responsible quarter today that President Roosevelt had come to the conclusion that annexation was the only satisfactory solution of the situation and that his plans were being laid with such a contingency in mind. It is expected that he will urge upon congress the desirability of such a step, probably not in formal message, but in his talks with leading members of the senate and the house.

If the sentiment among Republican and Democratic members who have come to Washington in the last few weeks represents that held throughout the country, it is difficult to imagine any other outcome of the Cuban imbroglio than annexation. It is learned, however, that in all likelihood there will be no hasty action by Mr. Roosevelt. For the next few days it is thought he will

It is the daily average circulation of a newspaper that the shrewd advertiser investigates—'High Water' days don't count. The Sun's daily average last month was 3040.

play a waiting game. This means that he will simply watch the effect of Secretary Taft's proclamation throughout the provinces. That there will be no serious trouble encountered in Havana is not doubted, but as much cannot be said for the outlying districts. The province from which news is most eagerly awaited is that of Santiago, always the hotbed of rebellion and turbulence. If there is to be fighting Santiago is expected to hoist the banner, but the fact that no bad advices have come from there inclines the officials here to take a rather hopeful view of matters.

**Psalm Is Penniless.**  
Washington, Oct. 1.—Psalm is penniless. The president of the first republic of Cuba retires to private life without a dollar. This statement was made by Señor Quesada, the Cuban minister, who cabled Psalm an invitation to come to United States to live at the former's home.

**Engineers to Embark.**  
Washington, Oct. 1.—Four companies of engineers left Washington barracks for New York today, where they will embark for Cuba this evening on the transport Sumner.

## PIPE

### PRESENTED TO RETIRING YARD-MASTER STONEBREAKER.

J. Sullivan Succeeds Him and Kelley Charlton Becomes His Assistant.

Mr. J. Sullivan, assistant general yardmaster for the Illinois Central, took charge of the yards this morning in the capacity of general yardmaster. He succeeds Mr. G. W. Stonebreaker whose resignation took effect today. Mr. Kelley Charlton, the well known engine foreman, was made his assistant, a deserved promotion. Mr. William Mortland, another popular yard employee, was given Charlton's engine.

Yesterday the retiring yardmaster was presented with fine meerschaum pipe by attaches of the yards and yard office. He is one of the most popular yardmasters ever in charge here.

Mr. Stinebrenner left today for Cedar Rapids, Ia., to take charge of the Rock Island yards there.

## IN HOMESPUN

OUR OLLIE WAS CLAD AT BENTON THIS MORNING.

Left His English Clothes and Acrent at Home and Talked Crops With Farmers.

Clad in homespun the antithesis of that phonographic vest and its setting of English tweed, which the tall congressman from the First district wore home from London this summer, and finding his "it's" with accustomed readiness, Ollie James addressed the dark tobacco growers of Marshall county at Benton this morning. It was county court day and the association took advantage of the occasion to hold a rally. Ollie James and Gen. N. H. Hays took advantage of the rally to get the ears of the populace. General Hays spoke this afternoon.

**DEMONT OUT.**  
America's Representative Hurts His Arm.

Paris, Oct. 1.—Santos Dumont, representing America in the balloon race for the Gordon Bennett cup, which started from here yesterday, was compelled to drop out of the contest owing to severe injury to his arm. Dumont caught his arm in the cordage of the balloon.

**Musical Drill.**  
The musical drill will be practiced this evening. Every participant should be on hand promptly at 7 o'clock.

## BACK TO COUNCIL GOES FRANCHISE

Mayor Yeiser May Not Approve 19th St. Extension.

Board of Commissioners Expected to Pass Measure Over Veto of the Mayor Tonight.

**WILL TELL ABOUT MEETING.**

Without the mayor's signature, it is probable the franchise ordinance for the Worcen's addition line of the Paducah Traction company will be returned to the board of commissioners tonight. Mayor Yeiser has not yet signed it and, it is understood, he will not. The board probably will pass the measure over the mayor's veto.

This ordinance provides for an extension of the line out Broadway to Nineteenth street, thence over Nineteenth street to the Mayfield road. It affords street railway facilities to a section now without them.

Mayor Yeiser also will tell the board about the trip to Chicago.

"My visit was a busy one," said the mayor, "and, really, I did not see as much of the city as I would like to. I was studying municipal problems and improvements the whole time and believe I have learned something."

Councilman John Williamson says that if the Sunday labor law is to be made effective generally, he thinks it should be made to apply as rigidly to city departmental work as to any business; furthermore, that he intends at tonight's meeting of the board of commissioners to bring the matter up. Councilman Williamson's speeches are short and to the point and he says he will speak his mind.

"Just look at that," he invited when he met a news reporter at Fifth street and Broadway. He pointed south on Fifth street.

"What I am pointing to is that city dump cart," he explained, "and I am going to see if the Sunday labor law can not be made to apply to the city as well as to business. I have spoken to the mayor once about the matter privately and set the unsightly, filthy carts are out again. This time I shall speak publicly. I think that city laborers should be made to pay of the same as others."

**Dined With Jackies.**  
Barnstable, Mass., Oct. 1.—With one detachment of American marines landed in Cuba and a force of several thousand marines and sailors preparing to follow to uphold the authority of the United States over the trouble-some island, President Roosevelt today went out of his way and paid the enlisted men of the service an honor which has no precedent in history. The president, in making a visit to the North Atlantic fleet off Cape Cod, insisted in sitting down to dinner on the battleship Missouri with the jackies and marines, partaking of the same fare of the forecastle.

**A Mean Disposition.**  
Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—For no known cause except an ungovernable temper, Edward Weaver this morning fired three shots into the body of his wife as she awaited breakfast in a restaurant, killing her instantly. He was arrested later.

**SIX CROSS CHANNEL.**  
London, Oct. 1.—Six of the sixteen balloons, which left Paris yesterday in the international race for the Gordon Bennett cup, have crossed the English Channel. All are moving rapidly toward the northeast.

**RAY BARKER.**  
Ray Barker, 17 months old, son of W. A. Barker, of 1118 South Eighth street, died this morning of summer complaint. The body was taken to Elva, Marshall county.

**Twelve Cows.**  
The monthly report of L. Rice, the cow policeman, shows there were 12 cows and four miles taken up during the month of September.

**Rosa Johnson.**  
Rosa Johnson, colored, of 618 Clark street, swore out a warrant this afternoon against Will McKinley, colored, charging him with entering her house in her absence and taking goods away. She telephoned Detective Will Baker at noon and he left to investigate, finding the negro in the house.

**Railroad Commissioner Mac D. Ferguson.**  
Ferguson, of La Center, is in the city today.

## STORM'S DAMAGE NOT OVERSTATED

Shipping And Every Other Industry Suffer.

Loss of Life Reaches Hundreds and Business Almost Prostrated Along Gulf.

**SOME RECORDS OF THE BLOW.**

Mobile, Ala., via Meridian, Miss., Oct. 1.—The number of casualties in the great storm of last Wednesday is slowly increasing, as messages are received from places which have heretofore been inaccessible. The total last night of the known dead was seventy-five. This number was brought up to a certainty of seventy-nine and possibility of 102 by the reports which reached Mobile during the night, and early today.

Captain Wilson, of the Panama

reported that the beacons in the bay and all of the range lights have been carried away and declared that the lighthouse on Sand Island had been destroyed, only the tower remaining. There was no light burning, he said, on the approached entrance into the harbor. Captain Hansen of the Belize, saw the light somewhat earlier, and it must, therefore, have been destroyed on Wednesday evening.

The government tender Ivy went down the bay early today around the entrance into the harbor and to make a careful examination of possible changes made by the storm in the channels between the entrance to the harbor and the city.

The situation along the coast to the west of this city is now fairly well known. At Scranton, Miss., one church, the Odd Fellows' hall and several buildings were blown down.

At Pensacola beach not a residence is standing, the river front at that point is completely torn up, and the light house there has been destroyed. Shipping at this point, however, has not been badly damaged. The revenue cutter Winona for which much fear was entertained, is now known to be safe. The crew of the cutter rescued the keeper of the Pensacola lighthouse and his family during the storm.

The keeper of the Horn Island light house, just outside of Scranton, lost his life. The captain of a tug which came near the house at the commencement of the storm urged him to leave but he refused to abandon his post, and in a short time was drowned. The entire end of the island on which the lighthouse was situated is said to have been carried away.

At Biloxi the damage has been of minor character to buildings.

At Pass Christian no lives were lost and the damage was slight.

The wrecking of a few houses comprised the damage at Gulfport, and no lives were lost there.

Five out of eight vessels at Ship Island at the time of the storm were beached, and two will be total wrecks.

Several vessels, the names of which are unknown, are ashore off Horn Island, and the small islands marking the passage between Dauphin Island and the mainland have been destroyed. The beacon lights on this part of the coast are not greatly damaged.

It is now believed that the loss to the lumber interests alone by the storm will aggregate \$10,000,000.

**AT PENSACOLA.**

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 1.—It is difficult to give any adequate idea of the magnitude of the storm devastation here. The entire water front is a mass of tangled wreckage. The costly bridge of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, spanning Escambia bay, was demolished, and it will be many days before trains can go eastward. Officials of the road believe the foundation is intact and the work of rebuilding will be begun as soon as possible. Train service north has been restored.

Out of fifteen fishing schooners of E. E. Saunders & Co.'s fleet only one is afloat. Warren & Co.'s fleet suffered equally as bad, one only being undamaged. The others are on the beach and some of them broken up.

The tug Monarch and Mary Lee are high and dry in Pine street.

Among the ocean-going craft hard aground are the Norwegian ship Ingrid, Norwegian bark Helmsdal, Norwegian ship Avnati, Portuguese ship Ferrola, schooner Donna Christina, Swedish bark Alfhild, Norwegian bark Hereford, German bark Maria,

## HON. E. W. BAGBY ENTERS THE RACE

He and President McBroom Out for City Judge.

General Hayes, Anti-Administration Candidate, Will Speak Here Tonight.

**REGISTRATION DAY TOMORROW.**

In spite of the other attractions this week, it marks the advent of the politest season and politics is interesting Paducahans just now.

In addition to the fact that tomorrow is registration day the Republican city convention takes place one week from Thursday, and a contest is promised for the first place. President George McBroom, of the board of councilmen is already out for city judge, and this morning Hon. E. W. Bagby announces his candidacy for the place. Both are good men and both entered the race at the opportunitis of friends after mature consideration. Whoever wins the office seeking the man.

Hon. E. W. Bagby, lawyer and president of the Carnegie library board, who made such a hard race against R. T. Lightfoot for the office of county judge in the last election, will not forsake the ranks of the Republicans to run on the independent ticket for police judge at the next regular elections. This statement was made by the well known attorney this morning, and while he did not state definitely that he will run, intimated his intentions of becoming a candidate.

Hon. E. W. Bagby made a strong fight, especially in the city where he ran ahead of Judge Lightfoot, that he was urged to run for police judge. He was urged not only by his Republican friends but by many Democrats, who asked him to come out independently.

General Hayes will speak at the court house.

**GENERAL HAYES HERE.**

Attorney General Hayes, anti-administration candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, will speak here tonight. The first announcement came this morning by long distance telephone. The notice is so short that his friends are stirring themselves to get in a crowd.

## SEWER WORK

**WILL BE STARTED IN DISTRICT NO. 2.**

**CITY ENGINEER WASHINGTON SAYS OUR PAVED STREETS ARE THE EQUAL OF CHICAGO'S.**

Work on the sewer in district No. 2, from Ninth street west to Thirteenth street, will commence this week, or not later than next week unless the weather turns unfavorable again. The work would have been started by this time had not the rains prevented.

The trench will be started at Thirteenth street. The Thomas Bridges Sons' company has been active in preparing laborers anticipated. Much of the street work is stopped and many laborers, who didn't work during the summer, are now anxious to get jobs before the cold weather sets in.

City Engineer L. A. Washington returned Saturday from Chicago, where he attended the League of Municipalities, and is getting his work in hand again.

His criticism of the league is that it is too large and is attempting to cover too much ground. He favors the organization of departments in the league for the discussion of the various problems confronting municipalities. The American society of Municipal Improvements which meets in Birmingham, October 8 to 13, Mr. Washington believes would benefit him more, as it is a society of engineers.

"I inspected Chicago streets, while I was there," he said, "And I saw no brick streets the equal of our own. I watched the construction of different kinds of streets and the methods are not better than ours."

Dr. J. W. Pendley went to Madisonville this morning on busi-

## REGISTER NEXT TUESDAY.

Registration day is next Tuesday, October 2. On that day all voters desiring to participate in the coming unopposed election must register. The registration will be held in each precinct at the regular voting place between the hours of 6 a. m. and 9 p. m. It is the duty of every voter to secure a certificate. No citizen can excuse himself, if the election goes contrary to his opinion. If he does not perform this act of citizenship, there will be a full Republican ticket in the field in Paducah this fall, which will appeal to the better element of both parties and will win, if every voter qualifies by registering next Tuesday in his precinct.

**THREE NEGROES KILLED.**  
Mill Operatives Shoot Them From Moving Train.

West Point, Ga., Oct. 1.—Three negroes were killed and another probably fatally wounded by a party of mill operatives last night, who fired on the negroes from a moving train. The whites had trouble with a negro earlier in the day. When they saw him talking with others, they fired on the party.

## UNDER THE BRIDGE IN THREE MINUTES

**Buttonff Would Have Been Satisfied Saturday Night.**

**Clarksville Bridge Raised for Sterns, or When L. & N. Passenger Plunged Over.**

**ALL HANDS STILL NERVOUS**

If the steamer *Buttonff* had been three minutes earlier going under the bridge on the Cumberland river at Clarksville Saturday night, the train, which plunged through that bridge would have precipitated itself through that boat. In such an event the loss of life would have been far greater.

It was because of the *Buttonff* that the bridge was open and that the train plunged through to the Cumberland river which is forty feet deep at that point. The boat had whistled for the bridge to open and was within a few hundred feet of the bridge when an L. & N. passenger train rounded the curve, approaching the bridge, and dashed into the yawning opening. The engine and two cars went through, the mail and baggage cars, with a crew of seven men. Two were killed.

It was dark when the accident occurred. The channel was so deep that the *Buttonff* had no trouble passing under the bridge and the cars floated on down the river. They have not been fished out yet. The train was running according to schedule time and the blame for the catastrophe has not been placed. The *Buttonff* arrived here Sunday evening and Capt. Tiner and the other officers, passengers and men are still whistling at their narrow escape.

**MRS. CASEY—WINDOW WASHER**

**Appeals to Courts and Wins Victory Over Company.**

Mrs. Casey did not stop to argue. She wanted her dollar right now. She went across the street to the court of the justice of the peace. The case came up promptly, for it was not a busy time.

"Now, when did you clean the windows?" asked the justice, when the case was called.

"Twas awn th' tith av June."

The justice looked at her sternly.

"How can you be so sure of the date of a trifling event that occurred so long ago?"—Success.

**Batherskite.**  
"Batherskite" is an Amerennism, or, rather, an old word which has survived chiefly in American usage. The way it came to be popular here is curious. It is really the old Scottish "batherskite," from "blether," to talk nonsense (old Norse "bladhr" nonsense), and "skite," a term of opprobrium. In the song, "Maggie Lauder," written about 1650, occur the words, "Jog on your gait, ye batherskite," and this song was a very popular one in the American camp during the war of independence. Hence the vogue of the expressive word in its Americanized form. "Batherskite" was the Irish version early in the nineteenth century.

The first meerschaum pipe was made by Karol Howater in 1723. This pipe is still in the Pesth Museum.

**The Report Direct.**  
A United States sailor, who had served through the civil war, and, despite years of drill, was bent in the shoulders and rounded in the back, was passing along Church street in Liverpool one day when his ship was lying in the Mersey. Along came two smart young Tommy Atkins—straight as ramrods and gorgeous in new uniforms—who thought to have some fun with the old Yankee man-of-warman.

"Jack ahoy!" cried the youngest and smartest of the two. "What are you carrying on your back?"  
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And the Tommies pursued their way with chaste spirits.—September Lippencott's.

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and Broadway.

### Theatrical Notes

Horse Show—October 3 to 6.

**Golden-Voiced Al. H. Wilson.**

"Metz in the Alps" the romantic comedy drama of picturesque Switzerland in which Al. H. Wilson, he of the golden voice, will appear at the Kentucky tonight while interesting and pleasing to all classes of theatergoers appeals with exceptional force to those who claim the fatherland as the place of their nativity. "Metz in the Alps" is a tribute to the worth and dignity of German character, and holds up the mirror to nature in such a way as to reflect only the brightest side of life in which truth and honesty predominate. The play tells in forcible language a romantic love story, enlivened by bright comedy, incidental to "Metz in the Alps." Mr. Wilson is heard in several choice selections of ballads descriptive, yodels and character songs. Stage settings of a most lavish nature, as well as other embellishments, both mechanical and electrical, will be made use of; a cast that will aid in its proper rendition has been selected, many of its members being old and tried favorites with the votaries of our play-house.

**The County Chairman.**

The score of pretty little school girls who take part in the rally scene in George Ade's notable comedy drama, "The County Chairman," which Maclyn Arbuckle offers at the Kentucky theater tomorrow night, were selected from over 200 applicants. Their great charm is their naturalness. This quality dominates "The County Chairman" throughout. Every character is absolutely true to nature.

**A Fatal Day for Royalty.**

It is generally known that Saturday has been a fatal day for royalty in our own country for over a hundred years; coincidences, perhaps, but nevertheless true. Here are a few examples:

William III. died on Saturday, March 18, 1702.

Queen Anne died on Saturday, August 1, 1714.

George I. died on Saturday, June 10, 1727.

George II. died on Saturday, October 25, 1760.

George III. died on Saturday, January 29, 1820.

George IV. died on Saturday, June 26, 1830.

The Duchess of Kent died on Saturday, March 16, 1861.

The Prince Consort died on Saturday, December 14, 1861.

Princess Alice died on Saturday, December 14, 1878, says Home Notes.

While Saturday seems fatal to the Guelphs, Thursday was equally fatal to the Tudor dynasty, as Henry VIII., Edward VI. and the Queen Mary and Elizabeth all died on this day of the week.

**A Unique Officeholder.**

Charles E. Hunter, chief clerk in the district court of Oklahoma City, has established an astounding record. He declares his intention to resign his position, and gives as his chief reason the fact that the fees of his office are exorbitant. A month ago he gave emphasis to his views on this matter by writing to the department of Justice, suggesting that court clerks in the territory be put on a stipulated salary of \$2,500 a year. In ninety days the clerk fees in Hunter's district amounted to more than \$6,000, which is at the rate of about \$25,000 a year. Hunter insists that this is little short of wholesale robbery of litigants and that the evil should be remedied. He was a Rough Rider sergeant in the Spanish-American war, and owes his present position to President Roosevelt, who admires him.

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**Typographical Error.**

"Typographical errors," said William Dean Howells, the famous novelist, "are always amusing. When I was boy in my father's printing office, in Martin's Ferry, I once made a good typographical error. My father had written:

"The showers last week, though copious, were not sufficient for the millmen."

"I set it up 'milkmen,'"—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

### RIVER NEWS

	River Stages.		
Cairo	20.4	1.9	rise
Chattanooga	13.9	0.8	rise
Cincinnati	10.2	1.1	rise
Evansville	11.3	3.0	rise
Florence	8.6	0.5	rise
Johnsville	15.5	5.1	rise
Louisville	5.6	1.3	rise
Mt. Carmel	2.2	0.9	rise
Nashville	17.7	4.1	rise
Pittsburg	5.8	0.1	fall
Davis Island Dam	3.8	1.0	rise
St. Louis	12.2	0.2	rise
Paducah	13.1	2.7	rise

With a rise of 2.5 in the last 48 hours, the river is at a stage of 13.1 this morning. The rise was steady all day Sunday and Sunday night keeping the wharfmaster constantly busy shifting the gangplank up the wharf. There was little rainfall in the last 24 hours. The rainfall for the whole month of September was 4.50 inches, the larger part of which fell in the last five days.

The lowest stage of the river last month was 6.5, and the highest was 11.9. In September last year, the highest was 15.3, but the river this year maintained a higher average throughout the month. The highest stage in 1904 was 3.8; in 1903, 6.5; in 1902, 5. These figures are given to show the marked change in the stage of the river in the last two years. The high stage last month when it usually has been low probably was due to the heavy rains preceding the month in June, July and August.

Capt. James Koger has gone to Memphis to superintend repairs on the Savannah. On the down trip to Memphis from St. Louis, the Savannah broke the cylinder timbers and the wheel shaft. The breakdown occurred near Memphis and the boat will be repaired there. The Savannah had expected to enter the Vicksburg-Memphis cotton trade.

The Dick Fowler had a good trip to Cairo this morning at 8 o'clock.

The *Buttonff* arrived from Nashville Sunday evening and left today at noon for Clarksville.

The Henry Harley arrived Sunday from Evansville and left this morning for the same point at 11 o'clock.

The Harley and the Dunbar will try to make schedule time this week.

The Saitillo arrived from St. Louis today and left immediately for the Tennessee river.

The Russell Lord arrived out of the Tennessee river Sunday and will leave today for St. Louis.

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**Low Excursion Rates via Southern Railway From Louisville.**

Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., \$36.00 on sale daily to Sept. 30 with return limit of October 31st.

Asheville, N. C., \$15.95. On sale daily the year round good returning within six months.

**Low Homeseekers' Rates**

to many points in the Southeast, West and Southwest on first and third Tuesdays of each month, June to November inclusive.

There appears to be no doubt as to the genuineness of the violin. From letters and other documentary evidence it appears that Mozart's sister, Maria Sonnenburg, received it from her brother. She sold it to a government official named Tressel, whose daughter was a talented musician. She died however and her father sold the violin and other musical effects to Adalbert Lenk, the father of the present owner. This was in 1829. The instrument is not made after the pattern of the celebrated Steiner violin, but like the Amati violin. On the inside is inscribed "Jakobus Steiner in Absam prope Venpunktum, 1655."—Pall Mall Gazette.

For additional information, tickets, etc., call on any agents of the Southern Railway or address J. F. Logan, traveling passenger agent, 111 East Main street, Lexington, Ky.; C. H. Hungerford, district passenger agent, 234 Fourth avenue, Louisville; G. B. Allen, A. G. P. A. St. Louis, Mo.

**A Phonetic Suggestion.**

President Elliott, of Harvard, is no believer in the Roosevelt spelling reform. Once there was a student who was a candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. This man adopted spelling reform as his particular line of work, and as convenient duty drew near he went to President Elliott with a request. "You know, Mr. President," he said, "that you are proposing to make me a Ph. D. Now, I have made a specialty of spelling reform, and I always spell philosophy with an 'L.' I therefore called to ask you if you could not make my degree F. D. instead of Ph. D."

"Certainly, my dear sir," replied the president of Harvard. "In fact, if you insist, we shall make it a D. P."

**Mosquito Screens in England.**

"I have yet to see," writes Consul Halstead, from Birmingham, "a house in England equipped with window and door screens, such as make life endurable in the United States in the summer months. There are, however, a very few mosquito bars, made of cotton netting, such as were common in America a quarter of a century or so ago, and were later displaced by wire screens."

**I.**

It is 10 p. m. They are seated in the parlor.

"No," she says, bowing her head. "I say I am too young to become engaged."

**II.**

It is just 1:30 a. m. They are still seated in the parlor.

Suddenly from somewhere upstairs a gruff voice shouts: "Henrietta, if that fellow waits a little longer you'll be old enough to accept his proposal."

### HAPPY WOMEN.

Plenty of Them in Paducah and Good Reason for It.

Wouldn't any woman be happy, After years of backache suffering, Days of misery, nights of unrest, The distress of urinary troubles, She finds relief and cure?

No reason why any Paducah reader

Should suffer in the face of evidence like this.

Mrs. Martha Hamilton, of 610 Tennessee street, says: "If I contracted a cold which settled in my kidneys, it brought on a severe attack of inflammation of the kidneys and ever afterwards I was subject to pain across my back, although I used every precaution to prevent it. When the attacks were at their height I was prostrated and had to remain bedridden. One day I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertised for just such conditions as mine. It occurred to me that they might do me some good, so I procured a box at Alvey & List's drug store. They helped me from the start. The dull aching across the small of the back finally disappeared, the pain in my muscles and legs disappeared, and dizziness which accompanied it left, and since I have been out too pleased to tell friends and acquaintances about the result I obtained from taking Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. EXCURSION BULLETIN.**

Louisville, Ky.—Horse Show.

Dates of sale September 30 to October 6, 1906, inclusive, limit October 6, 1906. Round trip rate \$8.95.

Louisville, Ky.—Grand Lodge F. & A. M.—Grand Chapter R. A. M. Dates of sale October 15th and 16th, 1906, limit October 20th, 1906. Round trip rate \$6.95.

Louisville, Ky.—Fall Races.

Dates of sale October 3 to 10, 1906, inclusive, limit October 15th, 1906. Round trip rate \$4.95.

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Louisville, Ky.—State fair.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic drives out malaria and builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 27 years. Price 50 cents.

Dallas, Tex.—International Association of Fire Engineers.

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## TURKISH REBELS LIVE IN GENEVA

Several Different Organizations Assemble There.

Mohammedans and Christians and Aspirants to Throne of Sultan in League.

YOUNG TURKEY PARTY STRONG.

Geneva, Oct. 1.—The headquarters of the several organizations hostile to the sultan of Turkey are in Geneva. They have recently pooled their issues and changed their policy. There are four general organizations, each of which has several branches and factions with considerable jealousy, jealousy and antagonism. They are the following:

First, the Wahabites are a sect of the Mohammedan church which denies the title of the sultan and the present dynasty of the Ottoman empire to the caliphate or chieftainship of the Mohammedan church. They declare that the present sultan is an impostor; that his ancestors many many centuries ago secured the caliphate by conquest in violation of all the teachings of the Koran, and they refuse to recognize his spiritual or ecclesiastical authority. The chief strength of the Wahabite movement is in Arabia, where a revolution breaks out every few years against the spiritual and the temporal authority of the sultan. These revolutions have been periodical for more than a century, but accomplish nothing more than the slaughter of the troops that are sent down to suppress them.

The second organization in numbers and strength is intended for the emancipation of the Turkish provinces of Armenia and it extends all over the world. It is particularly strong in the United States and in England, and, indeed, wherever two or more Armenians live there is a patriotic organization. Their love for their country is intense, but through the jealousy and rivalry of leaders they are broken into several factions.

The third organization is for the purpose of securing freedom of Macedonia, a Turkish province lying along the Mediterranean south of Bulgaria, the native country of Alexander the Great, Cleopatra of Egypt and various other famous characters of ancient times.

"The cry from Macedonia" to the Christian powers is one of the most pitiful appeals for help and protection that was ever uttered by human beings. No people have suffered more from persecution. The population of that heroic country has been well-nigh exterminated by the bashibazouks and other Turkish soldiers. At present the "Macedonia committee," which has its headquarters at Sofia, the capital of Bulgaria, and for years has been leading the struggle for liberty, is resting from its labors for lack of funds, primarily, and also pending the trial of various reforms that have been introduced there.

The "Young Turkey Party" is an organization intended to overthrow the despotism and establish a liberal monarchy at Constantinople; to abolish the present regime and modernize the government. It is composed of the best people in Turkey, the educated classes, the merchants, the men of affairs and all who desire the progress and welfare of the people, for the policy of the present government is to crush out intelligence and prevent prosperity because both are dangerous to despots. For obvious reasons the organization must be secret and nobody knows who belongs to it. There are a few leaders who are identified and most of them are in Geneva.

Altogether there are about three hundred Turkish refugees in the city, including about sixty students in the university, most of them Armenians. The brother-in-law of the sultan, the husband of his oldest sister, was the recognized leader of the "Young Turkey Party" until his death in Paris a year or so ago, and I suppose his son, Sabaheddin, may be considered the equal, if not the actual leader of the movement today. This nephew of the sultan was for a short time a student at Robert college, the Presbyterian institution at Constantinople, but was compelled to fly when his father was denounced as a traitor.

### Notice.

The Palmer House barber shop is closed on account of the reconstruction of the Palmer House, but will open in about ten days where the writing room formerly was. I ask all my friends to call and see me in the new shop. We will be able to give you first-class service. Thinking all for their patronage, I am very respectfully,

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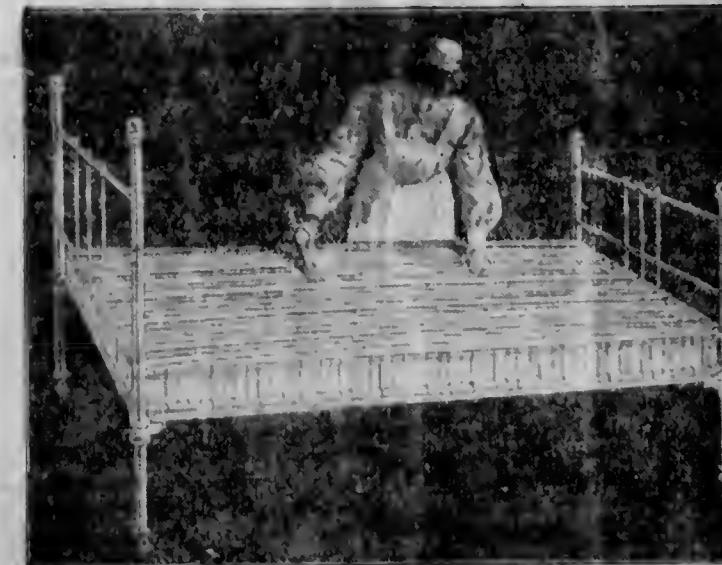
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August 8..3916 August 24..3841

August 9..3927 August 25..4220

August 10..3896 August 27..3865

August 11..3951 August 28..3849

August 13..3894 August 29..4237

August 14..3885 August 30..4230

August 15..3904 August 31..4407

August 16..3898

Total ..... 106,379

Average for August, 1906, .... 3940

Average for August, 1905, .... 3705

Increase ..... 235

Pronouncedly appeared before me,

this September 1, 1906, E. J. Pax-

ton, general manager of The Sun,

who affirms that the above statement

of the circulation of The Sun for the

month of August, 1906, is true to the

rest of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January

22, 1908.

## Daily Thought.

"Act always from high motives, and you will never need to resort to sophistry or diplomacy in explaining your actions."

## OF WHICH KIND ARE YOU?

Are you one of those, who disagree with the policy and methods of the administration?

Are you disappointed in the kind of men the Democratic primary nominated for city offices?

Are you perfectly certain that the Republican convention will fail on the party a lot of office seeking blunderers?

Have you friends on the Democratic ticket?

Is one of your friends considering making a race on the Republican ticket?

Are you pleased with the economical, conservative, moral administration of the present general council?

Have you a kick coming?

Have you a polley to endorse?

Are you a good citizen?

Have you the breadth and depth to appreciate sufficiently the privilege of participating in your own government?

If you have any of the foregoing symptoms, you are a man, and we have a remedy that will strike at the very root of your trouble and remove it.

Our panacea for such civic ills and doubts and aspirations is the exercise of the franchise.

There are a lot of men in Paducah, who by long neglect of the ballot have become chronic carpers, and probably could scarcely manipulate the Australian system; and these we urge to try a sample of this sovereign remedy by registering tomorrow between the hours of 6 and 9 o'clock. You have no idea how much more of a man you will feel with a registration certificate in your pocket.

Paducah has another class of suffragists, even more exasperating than the chronic carpers. Those of this class acknowledge party allegiance, but may be considered only as associate members. Honorary members they would prefer to be called, perhaps. They expect the workers to call on them just before registration day and again on election day. If they are not invited with sufficient warmth to participate in the registration, nomination and election, they feel slighted and will not vote at all. It is a pity this kind of citizen is allowed to vote.

Individuals of this class are not boasters, they are more trouble than boasters. They seem to be suffering in political liver.

Then there is the busy man, the idle bound man, he should be called, whose vision of duty and interest has narrowed down to his own tiny little affairs. He reads yellow newspapers occasionally and becomes saturated with the pestilential germs it infests the double-headed, capitalised editorials of this sort of jour-

nistic degeneracy long enough to rise in private occasionally against corruption in politics, but he forgets, or neglects, to register, so he never has a chance to bother the corruptors.

On these fellows, who consider themselves high above the practical politicians, we wish to impress the fact that the corrupt politician is a much better citizen than any of them. They are simply knocker, and impotent knockers, at that. Such men are the shame of this country.

You thin skinned fellows, get out of the notion that an election is a function gotten up and controlled by a party organization. Look, you it is a citizen's duty. Be a man and register and vote, and vote as you please.

You busy fellow, register and vote, to give Paducah the best city government, regardless of politics that you can. Elect officials, who are economical, conservative, honest, moral and progressive. Try to construct direct connection between Broadway and the city hall. It will help your business. You have found the general council giving heed whenever you spoke earnestly.

All you party men, and men who have some special interest in this election, register.

Another point: register tomorrow. Don't wait for the supplemental registration. You, who are in business, do not do business by putting off something you intend to do and feel that you ought to do. You do it at the first opportunity.

Bud Elrod and Lillian Wilson, charged with throwing pepper in the eyes of Young Pruitt were granted a continuance.

Other cases: Horace Garrett, placed under bond to keep the peace towards I. L. Garrett; Corney Wallingford, disorderly conduct, \$25 and costs; Coats Egleston, trespass and using abusive language towards Mrs. Annie Redman, continued; Florence Greer, colored, disorderly conduct, \$25 and costs and thirty days in jail; Ed Woods, Jim Doolin, petty larceny, continued; Ernest Ozment, disorderly conduct, \$25 and costs and fifty days in jail; Paducah Distilleries company, four warrants for selling liquor without a license, continued.

Another reason you don't delay your business affairs: You realize your time is valuable, and that the time of other men is valuable.

You cry for business principles in politics. See that you apply business principles to your participation in politics. You are to be aligned on one side or the other. Your side will have an organization to look after the vote and the registration. If you do not register tomorrow, some politician will go to see you before the supplemental registration day.

If you register he will not have to bother with you, but may devote that time and energy to looking after some other detail of the preparations for victory. Don't you see how by attending to this simple duty tomorrow, you will be helping your party to one or, perhaps, a dozen more votes?

And now, if you have read this through this far, doesn't it strike you as humiliating that the newspapers find it necessary to lecture and admonish the voters every year to take advantage of a privilege? And yet, it is necessary, and we hazard the guess that you have in mind right now some other fellow to whom this rebuke applies.

If you have, invite him to register.

No matter what anyone tells you, no matter what any newspaper may print on the subject, remember this: Republican members of the general council will be candidates for re-election and they stand on the record of that department. By that you must judge them. If any opposing interest says the candidates put forward by the Republicans are nominated by any certain influence, nominate by any certain influence, compare the statement with the conduct of the members during their term of office, and if the statement and the facts agree, put the statement down in a lie. This council has done nothing ever, it has been economical, it has been conservative, it has been on the side of morality and right and what is the most significant feature of the whole situation: not a member has hungered after reelection. They are citizens making the citizens' sacrifice of duty to the community.

A Cheerful Giver.

Bobby's father had given him a 10-cent piece and a quarter of a dollar, telling him he might put one or the other on the contribution plate, says the Boston Post.

"Which did you give Bobby?" his father asked when the boy came home from church.

"Well, father, I thought at first I ought to put in the quarter," said Bobby, "but then just in time I remembered 'The Lord loveth a cheerful giver,' and I knew I could give the 10-cent piece a great deal more cheerfully, so I put that in."

A Growing Subject.

It is said of a noted Virginian Judge that in a pinch he always came out ahead. An incident of his childhood might go to prove this.

"Well, Benny," said his father when the lad had been going to school about a month, "what did you learn today?"

"About the mouse, father."

"Spell mouse?" his father asked.

After a little pause, Henry answered: "Father I don't believe it was a mouse at all; it was a rat."—Lippincott's.

Our idea of a manly man is one who isn't ashamed to acknowledge his faults.

## IN THE COURTS

SCIENCE TEACHER  
ACCEPTS OFFERStarts For Paducah Without  
Any Delay.New Member of High School Faculty  
Becomes Assistant to Principal  
Payne.

## ATHLETICS PROVING POPULAR.

The Kelley-Connors fight on the H. W. Buttoff consumed the greatest portion of the time in police court this morning and was thoroughly aired. T. L. Connors is clerk on the boat and R. L., C. A. and Curtis Kelley were passengers bound for Dover, Tenn. One took a shoe off in the wrong state room and Connors objected.

The passenger replied that he would not ride on the boat if there was any other in the trade and Connors left his office, came out and it is charged, began to use brass knucks. The two brothers interfered either to separate the two or to punch Connors. The Kelleys all got injuries about the face and body and Connors was cut in the shoulder. Judge Puryear held them all over.

Leisha Johnson, colored, was found coming down from over a drug store under the influence of "coke" and stated she had been in the habit of roaming about at 2 o'clock in the morning. The Judge told her he would give her a rest. He fined her \$10 and costs.

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—The dance that was to have been given by the Evergreen circle at Wallace park, will be at the Red Men's hall on North Fourth street tonight. Hillman's band.

—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Frazer building.

—This morning an investigation was held into the death of the two-months old child of John Price, colored, of the south side. The cause of death was whooping cough. The child was not attended by a physician.

—The Sun office is prepared to furnish the very latest things in engraved or printed calling cards and invitations of any sort, and is making special prices now.

—County Judge H. T. Lightfoot this morning convened quarterly court but adjourned a few minutes later until Tuesday.

—Old Reliable Carterville, Ill., washed nut, and egg coal is the cheapest. Bradley Bros. Phone 339.

—The arbitration committee appointed to settle the controversy in the schools will meet again tonight and it is said there will be attorneys on hand to make arguments before the board.

—Something new—a clever magazine for the railroad man. Twill, too, interest everyone but has an especial attraction for the railroad man and his family. Get the first number, only 10c. R. D. Clements & Co.

—The regular fall term of fiscal court will be held tomorrow morning at the matter of furnishing the poor house will be taken up. The reports from the sheriff, treasurer, commissioner and other county officials will be heard.

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—After today the city assessor, Stewart Dick, may assess property without the presence of the property owners. The law gives him this right and all who have not appeared to give in their assessment will have no opportunity unless today's is taken.

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**People and Pleasant Events**

Parties sending in accounts of social entertainments will please sign them, as The Sun will not publish communications sent in that are not signed.

## U. D. C. Meeting.

Paducah chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with Miss Susie Thompson, Fourteenth and Broadway. All the members are especially urged to be present as various items of interest will be brought before the chapter.

The state convention of the U. D. C. opens Wednesday at the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley. Mrs. Roy McKinney, the state president, left today to attend the meeting. Mrs. D. G. Murrell will be present also, from the local chapter, but none of the regular delegates and alternates, Mrs. Louise Maxwell, Mrs. Mary Burnett, Mrs. James Koger, Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. Charles Emery and Miss Julia Scott can attend at this time.

## Delphic Club.

The Delphic club will meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the assembly room at the Carnegie Library. It is the first meeting of the season and the regular study of Spanish history literature and art will be entered on at once. The program for tomorrow will include: "A Map Study of Spain," by Mrs. Mildred Davis and "The People and Industries of Spain," by Mrs. Frank L. Scott. All the members are expected to respond to roll-call with a "Spanish Proverb."

## Chenal-Block Wedding.

The announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Mathilde Chenal to Mr. Frank Block is to take place Wednesday, October 3, at 4 o'clock p.m., at the parsonage of the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church.

The bride-to-be is a well known and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chenal, of North Tenth street. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Block, of Broad street. After the ceremony the couple will reside at the home of the bride's parents on North Tenth street.

## Informal Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Voris will receive informally tomorrow evening after the theater, at their home on West Broadway, in honor of Mr. Maclyn Arbuckle, the leading man in George Ade's clever comedy, "The County Chairman," which will be played at The Kentucky tomorrow night.

—For sale cheap, one seat, two wheel pony cart; also pony harness, brass mounted, all nearly new. Can be seen at the Tully Livery Co., where was Miss Eva Shelley, a popular Texas girl.

## Kentucky U. D. C.

Mrs. Roy McKinney left today to attend the annual state meeting at Pewee Valley, Ky., of the Kentucky division, U. D. C. Mrs. McKinney is president of the division and will preside at this meeting. It meets October 3 and 4. The point of principal interest will be the adoption of a new state constitution. Officers will be elected for the next year and routine business will be considered.

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Miss Elizabeth Arnold, of 512 South Sixth street, will leave the 15th for Denver to spend the winter.

Hon. Ollie James was in the city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. MacMillen, of 1442 West Broadway, are receiving the congratulations of their friends today over the arrival of a son in their home.

Mrs. Albert Senser and child have returned from Sanders, Ind., where they had been visiting.

Dr. Carl M. Sears went to Kansas City today on noon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Willi Gregory, of Chicago, are parents of a son, born September 28. Mrs. Gregory was formerly Miss Kate Robbins, of Paducah, and has many friends and relatives in the city.

Mrs. Joseph Randle, wife of the popular Illinois Central conductor, returned this morning from Fulton, where she had been on a week's visit.

Mr. Walter Smedley is ill at his home on North Fifteenth street.

Mr. R. C. Barrick, formerly of Somerset, Ky., superintendent of the Cumberland Pipe Line at that place, left at noon for Louisville and Somerton to take charge of his old position. He has been superintendent for the company in Louisiana and resigned because of the climate. He is a brother of Mr. V. P. Barrick, the 1. C. conductor.

O. L. Jenning, editor of the Murray Ledger, returned home this morning after a business trip to Paducah.

Mr. U. H. Clark, chief clerk to Master Mechanic R. J. Turnbull, has returned from Mt. Pleasant, Tenn., where he had been spending his annual vacation. Storekeeper John Trent acted for him in his absence.

Dick Tolbert, special agent for the Illinois Central, has returned from Memphis, where he went to appear against William Lightfoot, colored, for the alleged murder of Roy M. Sloan, at Woodstock, Tenn., January 17 two years ago.

Mr. Clarence Ellithorne and Mr. Barney Cleary, well known mechanics employed at the Illinois Central, have decided to go on a tour of the west.

Mr. Will Hendricks went to Kentucky this morning on business.

Mr. T. W. Dillberry, of the post-office, will leave tomorrow for a tour of the west. He will first go through Indian Territory and New Mexico. He has a six weeks' leave of absence.

Mr. Plummer Newell arrived Saturday night from Fort Worth, Tex., where he now lives, to visit his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Newell.

Mr. Cecil Reed went to Eddyville today on business.

## TODAY'S MARKETS

## Wheat—

Open 75%

Close 76%

Dec. 79%

May 80%

## Corn—

Open 43%

Close 43%

Dec. 43%

May 43%

## Oats—

Open 34%

Close 34%

Dec. 34%

Jan. 34%

## Pork—

Open 13.40

Close 13.42

Dec. 9.71

Jan. 10.06

Mar. 10.02

## Stocks—

I. C. 1.74%

L. & N. 1.47%

U. P. 1.93%

Rdg. 1.50%

St. P. 1.72%

Mo. P. 96%

Penna. 1.41

Cop. 1.11%

Sme. 1.53

Lead. 78%

C. F. I. 53%

U. S. P. 1.06

Mo. S. 45%

## Local Markets.

Dressed Chickens—20¢ to 40¢.

Eggs—20¢ doz.

Butter—20 lb.

Irish Potatoes—Per bu. 70¢.

Sweet Potatoes—Per bu. 60¢.

Country Ham—15¢. lb.

Green Sausage—10¢ lb.

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Country Lard—11¢ lb.

Lettuce—5¢ bunch.

Tomatoes—10¢ gallon.

Peaches—40¢ basket.

Beans—10¢. gallon.

Roasting Ears—10¢ doz.

Cantaloupes—20 to 40¢ doz.

Butterbeans—10¢. quart.

Celery—30¢ dozen.

## PADUCAH GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, 6¢ bu.

Corn, 60¢ bu.

Hay—From jobber to retail dealers—Strict grades. Choice Tim.

\$17; No. 1 Tim., \$16.50; No. 2 Tim., \$16.

Fancy northern clover \$16.

From country wagons at public quality medium to very poor, \$8 to \$17 per ton for valqua mixtures.

## TIPS.

WANTED—At once, good girl, to cook and do general house work in family of two. Good wages to good girl. Apply 1442 Broadway today.

NOW IS THE accepted time for you to look about your fire and tornado insurance, as fall and winter are coming. Remember the old and reliable Friedman Insurance Agency.

Office No. 128 South Third street. Office telephone No. 940. Residence phone No. 1581. We represent some of the oldest and best insurance companies, which are paying their losses promptly. We protect your interests, and you better be safe than sorry. Give us a call.

WANTED—Boarders at The Inn. HEATING and stove wood, Frank Levin, both phones 437.

FOR RENT—One side of store 428 Broadway. Phones 1513.

FOR RENT—One large front room at The Inn.

WANTED—Room-mate for a refined young man at The Inn.

FOR SALE—Three-room house, modern conveniences. Old phone 464.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished rooms 408 Washington, old phone 2500.

CLEANING and pressing neatly done. James Duffey, old phone 718-r.

FOR SALE—Nice harness horse. Apply 1720 Madison.

FOR SALE—Fine harness and saddle horse. Address B., care The Sun.

FOR RENT—Four rooms upstairs, 415 South Third street.

FOR RENT—Best business corner in Brookport, Ill. Address Jas. R. Hull, Brookport, Ill.

FOR SALE—At a bargain. Four room cottage, 1222 North Thirteenth street. Apply on premises.

FOR HAMBURGERS and Hot Tamale go to "Shorty's" 111½ South Third or 127 North Fourth.

HICKORY WOOD—Phones, Old 442, New 598. Delivered promptly. E. E. Bell & Sons.

FOR RENT—Three unburnished rooms for housekeeping. Apply at 1107 Monroe street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with all conveniences, 837 Jefferson street.

WANTED—Board in private family. Address "Engineer," 209 South Second street.

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## TO METROPOLIS

OVER FIFTY BUSINESS MEN WILL GO TONIGHT.

Steamer Cowling Takes Them Over at 4:30 O'clock and Brings Them Back.

All members of the party of business men who are going to Metropolis tonight should be at the wharf-boat at 4:30 o'clock. The steamer George Cowling will carry the party to Metropolis. The delegation will attend a meeting of the Metropolis Commercial club to lay before that body the advantages of immigration and of that city taking an active part in the convention here this week. Mr. Frank Scott has arranged the party. There will be a band on the boat. The George Cowling will bring the party back to the city tonight.

The following firms will be represented:

Ford Bros. & company, Starks, Elman Saddlery company, Scott Hardware company, Hummel Bros., L. W. Henneberger & company, L. S. Dull's company, E. P. Gilson & company, The Paducah Traction company, L. H. Ogilvie & company, E. Guthrie & company, The S. J. Publishing company, G. R. Davis & Bro., Meyer, Schmid, Clark & company, F. N. Gardner, Jr., Hank Bros., Eley Dry Goods company, Hank & Davis, R. J. Billings, H. A. Pettus Supply company, M. Livingston & company, Fowler, Crumbaugh & company, Chas. M. Leake company, S. H. Westhead Medicine company, Friedman, Keller & company, Stitz Candy company, Dreyfus, Weill & company, H. Welt & Sons, M. Michael & Bro., Rudy, Phillips & company, Wallenstein Bros., C. H. Rieke & Sons, Sutherland Medicine company, S. Peis Bros. & Rubel, Covington Bros. & company, Powell, Hoger company, Nagel & Meyer, Geo. Rock Shoe company, J. L. Wolff, Rhodes, Hurford & company, Thompson, Wilson & company, Cochran Shoe company, B. Welle & Son, Hoy L. Cully company, J. A. Hauser Paducah Furniture Mfg. company, Mergenthaler, Norton Basket company, Columbia Mfg. company, Hugy Hugy company, Sherrill Russell Lumber company, Paducah Brewery company, Cohnakis Mfg. company, News-Democrat, N. C. & St. L. railway, W. C. Gray.

## Torture by Savages.

"Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from the hammarion of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Pillars three bottles of which completely cured me." Care Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria; and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c.

## The Courts.

During September circuit court, criminal term, was held and in three weeks 17 convictions resulted, one defendant getting a life sentence, one 21 years, and the remainder terms ranging from 3 months to 8 years.

A Scientific Wonder.

The cures that stand to its credit make Bucklen's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. H. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of piles. It heals the worst Burns, Sores, Botts, Ulcers, Cuts, Wounds, Chilblains and Salt Ulcers. Only 25c at all druggists.

**IT'S A REPUTATION**  
You may ask, Willie's 15-year Vermilion has the world-wide reputation as the best of all worm destroyers, and for its tonic influence on weak and unthrifty children. It improves their digestion, assimilation, and tones their strengthens their nervous system and restores them to health and vigor natural to a child. If you want a healthy, happy child get a bottle of White Creek Vermilion.

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Our new woolens are a choice selection from the best foreign and domestic looms. We show many handsome and exclusive patterns.

You'll find our prices moderate and pleasing.

**DICKE & BLACK**  
816 Broadway  
Paducah Fraternity Building.

## RUNAWAY

ATTACHMENT CROWD ON THIRD STREET SUNDAY.

Lines Break and Frank Allen's Mare Runs Away and She Is Running Wild.

There was something doing on Third street Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock when an old bay mare made a record-breaking runaway.

The mare started from Third street and Broadway and ran south. She took a notion at Jackson street to come back and no drivers could have made a prettier turn. The lines remained free and the buggy kept in the middle of the street. At Second and Jefferson street the horse turned down to Second street and proceeded south on Second street to Clark street. She came into Third street like a thoroughbred racer and the liverymen at the Clark stables threw boards in front of her. These were not sufficient.

The mare was going some, and with apparently the same speed continued north on Third street.

The owner, Frank Allen, a negro, was helpless, standing by and watching the old timer go. She turned down Jefferson street and was still going when last seen.

The exhibition filled Third street with people. Allen drives for the Paducah Furniture company, and the breaking of the lines caused the runaway.

## HIGH CLASS

ALL RECRUTS ACCEPTED AT LOCAL STATION.

Sergeant Blake Leads Whole District Receiving Ten Out of Twenty-Three.

Special notice has been taken by the war department of the high-average number of recruits enlisted at the local recruiting station in charge of Sergeant Blake. Paducah is in the district composed of Evansville, Mt. Vernon, Vincennes and Paducah, for many months.

In September there were 23 applicants with ten successful. That is considered a high average. They were: For engineer corps, Walter Carpenter, Illinois, Ky.; James H. Morrison, Benton, Ky.; James E. Mitchell, Trigg Furnace, Ky.; for cavalry, Spencer Fralick, Princeton, Ky.; for infantry, Charles Hilliard, English, Ind.; Sherley G. Ramsey, Hampton, Ky.; Frederick G. Hains, Elkhorn, Ill.; John G. Daniel, Cadiz, Ky.; Jesse H. Davis, Lowes, Ky.; William J. Leach, Rock, Ill.

London's 7,100,000.

In its annual volume of London statistics, which is this year issued in a new and better form, the London County council is looking ahead as far as 1910. By that time it is calculated that the population of Greater London will have exceeded seven and a half million more than in 1901—London Telegraph.

## A Lively Tuske.

With that old enemy of the race, Constipation, often ends in Appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with Stomach, Liver and Bowels, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs, without pain or discomfort, 25c at all druggists.

## NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Langstaff-Orme Manufacturing company, will be held at their office at Paducah, Ky., on the 19th day of October, 1906.

H. W. RANKIN, Sec. and Treas.

**GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE**  
Whe greatest general the world has ever known. Ballard's New Liniment is the greatest liniment. Quite curing all pains. It is the creation of all. T. H. Pointer, Hempstead, Texas writer. This is to say that Ballard's New Liniment has been used in my hospital for years and has been found to be an excellent liniment for rheumatic pains. I am never without it.

Sold by all druggists.

## SWEAT RELIEF.

If you are troubled with liver complaint and have not received help read this. Mrs. Mary E. H. H. of Montezuma, Texas, "I was in poor health with liver trouble—for over a year. Doctors did me no good and I tried Herb tea, but there was no relief. Then I met Dr. Allen White in The American Magazine for October.

**William Allen White on Success.**  
"Success in life is service to one's fellows," writes William Allen White in The American Magazine for October.

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## PACKERS

CAUGHT TODAY WITHOUT ANY CERTIFICATE.

Railroads Will Not Haul Product Between States Without an Inspection.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Beginning today the railroads will refuse to accept meat in interstate commerce which does not bear the proper stamp of inspection. Realizing at the last minute that their business may be seriously hindered by the provisions of the new meat inspection law, many small packers have appealed to Secretary Wilson and his associates within the last few days to inspect their plants and grant them the much coveted inspection stamp. But a large number of packers will be disappointed.

Between July 1 and the present time, the department of agriculture has appointed 1,000 meat inspectors, 25 per cent. of whom are veterinarians. Before July 1 there were only 783 inspectors employed in the employ of the government. Several hundred additional men will be required.

Before July 1 there was government inspection in 153 houses, but the number now is 400. Secretary Wilson said tonight that many of these houses have made extensive improvements, and spoke highly of the sanitary condition of many of the establishments.

Of the 153 places which had inspection under the old law, twenty-seven have been refused inspection under the new law, because of their unsanitary condition.

**WILLIAM ALSO - RAN-DOLPH HAIRST.**

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# The Bath Comedy

By AGNES and EGERTON CASTLE  
Authors of "The Pride of Jenette"

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While the chaise described an agreeable curve round the yard her quick glance had embraced every element of the scene. Sir Jasper's bulky figure, with folded arms, was leaning against the post of the inn door awaiting her approach—retention personified—emphatically illuminated by the orange glow of the landlord's lantern. Out in the moonlight, shining in his pearl gray satin and powdered head, all silver from crest to shoe buckle, like the prince of fairy lore, sat Stafford on his window ledge, as gallant a picture to a woman's eye, the widow had time to think, as one could wish to see on such a night.

"Oh," she thought, "how we are going to enjoy ourselves at last!"

And, being too true an artist to consider her mere personal convenience upon a question of effect, she resolved to defer the crisis to the ripe moment, no matter at what cost. Accordingly, even as O'Hara cried out in tones of surprise and disgust, "Thunder and turf, my darling, if there isn't now that blithering ox, Sir Jasper!" Mistress Kitty instantly covered her face with her lace and swooned away on the Irishman's breast.

Sir Jasper charged the coach door. "Blithering ox!" he bellowed. "I'll teach you, sir, what I am! I'll teach that woman, H-H-H!"

Here Stafford sprang lightly to the rescue. "For heaven's sake," said he, "think of our names as gentlemen! Let it be swords or pistols, Jasper, or swords and pistols, if you like, but not fists and collarings. Be quiet, Jasper. And you, sir," said he to O'Hara, "but sure it's like an angel choir to hear you laugh again, my darling."

The guiltless gentleman approached his mistress as he spoke and prepared to encircle her waist, but with sudden sharpness she whisked herself from his touch.

"Pray, sir," she said, "remember how we stand to each other! If I laugh it is with relief to know myself safe."

"Safe?" he echoed, with sudden awful misgiving.

"Aye," said she, and spoke more tartly for the remorseful smiting of her own heart as she marked the change in his face. "You would seem to forget, sir, that you have carried me off by violence—treacherously seized me with your hired ruffians." Her voice grew ever sharper as certain rumors which her expectant ears had already caught appounding now grew quite minuscule without, and hasty steps resounded in the passage. "Oh, Mr. O'Hara, you have cruelly used me!" cried the lady. "Oh, Sir Jasper, oh, Mr. Stafford, from what a fate has your most unexpected presence here tonight thus opportunity saved me!"

At this point she looked up and gave a series of most intense astonishment, for there, in the doorway, stood his Lord Verney, and, over his shoulder, peered the white face of Captain Spicer all-puckered up with curiosity.

## CHAPTER XXII.

O'HARA drew himself up. He had grown all at once exceedingly stiff.

Mr. Stafford, gradually recovering from his paroxysms, had begun to bestow some intelligent interest upon the scene. There was a mist of doubt in his eyes as he gazed from the victimized but very lively lady to her erstwhile "violent abductor" and then to the gloomy countenance of the newcomer on the threshold. There seemed to be, it struck him, prodigious deliberation in Mistress Kitty's eye and start of surprise.

"What is my pretty Bellmills up to now? Well, poor Irish bairns with all their wits is no match for her anyhow,



"See what jealousy may bring a man to!"

aud, faith, she knows it," thought he, Aloud he said, with great plausibility, "Fie, fie; this is shocking to hear!" and, the good humored chores to the comedy, on the edge of the table, waiting for the development of the next scene.

Sir Jasper, wiping a bended brow and still staring, as if by the sheer fling of his idiosyncrasy he could turn these disappointing puppets into the proper objects of his vengeance, was quite unable to follow any current but the muddly whirl of his own thoughts.

Lord Verney alone was, therefore, who rose at all in Mistress Kitty's situation.

"Oh, oh," exclaimed Mr. Stafford, unable, in the midst of his laughter, to retain any further grip upon his friend.

"My darling," once more began the solicitous O'Hara, turning his head round toward the armchair, but—

"Judas!" hissed Sir Jasper, and furiously interposed his bulk between the Irishman and his invitation.

"Faith," cried Stafford, "can't you cover that head of yours somehow, O'Hara? I vow the very sight of it is still the red rag to the bull. The bull, ah!"

"Ha, ha, ha!" broke, this time uncontrollably, the merriment from the chair.

The three men were struck into silence and immobility.

(To Be Continued.)

## NAVAL UNIFORMS MUST BE HONORED

Officers Awake to Treatment  
of Blue Jackets.

People Have Overlooked Value of  
the Cheap Water Transportation  
Until Lately.

JAPANESE CANNING SARDINES.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The action of President Roosevelt in contributing \$100 toward defraying the expenses of the suit instituted by Yocomen Beunzle against the Newport Amusement company has caused considerable comment in naval circles here this week, and it is not unlikely that with the reconvening of congress some official action will be taken in uncovering and correcting the cause of the increasing insults to the uniformed servants of this country which have recently occurred in various localities. A retired naval officer, commenting the other day on the several suits for damages which have recently been instituted by enlisted men of the navy against the proprietors of various amusement resorts for alleged discrimination against them while in uniform, remarked that in his opinion, formed through years of service both here and abroad it is the uniform and not the man which is discriminated against. In his opinion, it is not enough for the president and the various naval officers interested in these cases to contribute privately to the prosecution of the suits, but the navy department should take up the matter officially with a view to determining just what it is that the public seems to find wrong with the nation's bluejackets, as the effect of this social ostracism upon the morale of the force is not good. Other officials at the navy department have similarly expressed themselves, and have agreed that the uniform more than the man is at fault. Though the day of the real sailor has passed, with the evolution from sailing craft to the modern battleship, the navy has clung tenaciously to the style of garb that was all very well a hundred or even fifty years ago. But, today, with the exception of a sailor gone, he has become a man-of-war merely a part of its intricate machinery; he is a gunner now, or an assistant in gunnery, a worker among a handle of metals and machinery and mechanical and automatic appliances. His former occupation is but a mere memory, and it is simply furthering a notion to stick to the old-style apparel. The men, too, are thoroughly tired of it. Nearly every enlisted man who has come from anywhere but the slums keeps a suit of civilian clothes on hand and dons it whenever he gets shore leave for any length of time, not desiring to appear conspicuous and to suffer the discrimination which must come to him when he appears in his sailor's rig. It is just this feature, so naval officers say, which has to do with the great desertion problem. A young man will enlist in the navy filled with salt water enthusiasm, but when he goes ashore and finds himself barred from the places and associations which before enlistment were opened to him without anyone looking askance at his clothes, he is naturally sensitive, and the uniform which he wears instead of being a garb of honor becomes one of distaste—so he deserts. With this helot gaining new supporters every day in naval and civil circles, it cannot be long before congress will take a hand and authorize new and more satisfactory uniforms for the most patriotic organization of our whole great country today—the navy.

Thump Transportation.  
Everyone who went through school as far as the fourth or fifth reader will doubtless remember a little poem published in one of their reading books.

## FINE PIPES! CHEAP PIPES!

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To suit you. See window  
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The glycerine employed in Dr. Pierce's medicines greatly enhances the medicinal properties which it extracts and holds in solution much better than alcohol would. It also possesses medicinal properties of its own, being a rich demulcent, nutritive, antiseptic and anti-ferment. This adds greatly to the efficacy of the Black Cherry bark, Golden Seal root, Stone root and Queen's root, contained in "Golden Medical Discovery." In subduing colic, or lingering coughs, bronchitis, colds and influenza, however, for all of which these agents are recommended by standard medical authorities, in all cases where there is a wasting away of flesh, loss of appetite, with weak stomach, as in the early stages of consumption, there can be no doubt that glycerine acts as a valuable nutritive and restorative agent. It is also useful in Queen's root and Black Cherry bark in promoting digestion and building up the flesh and strength, controlling the cough and bringing about a healthy condition of the whole system. Of course, it must not be expected to work miracles. It will not cure those diseases in its proper stages, that have performed their most marvelous cures. Send for and read the little book of extracts, treating of the properties and uses of the several medicinal roots that enter into Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and learn why these medicines has such a wide range of application in various diseases. Price a sent. Address, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. The "Discovery" contains no alcohol or harmful habit-forming drug. Ingredients all printed on each bottle wrapper in plain English.

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ers about the man who wandered over the globe in vain search of a four-leaf clover and who on returning to his home again, a broken-down and decrepit old man, threw himself down in his front yard and unwillingly pillow'd his head on a whole bed of four-leaf clovers. The moral to be gleaned from this little story is applicable today to the American people. Ever seeking the midnight dollar, penetrating to the farthest corners of the globe in a mad desire to monopolize the trade of every country, they have been utterly oblivious to the dollars to be saved right here at home. This country is essentially a commercial nation, and its development has been along the lines of least resistance or effort. It has had the raw material or the finished product to export and has exported it, in the quickest way possible. When the railroads came into prominence with the east and west colonization movement in this country, our people seized on them as the quickest and most reliable means of commodity transportation—and lot water transportation, like a broken toy, slip to the floor, useless and forgotten. Although the railroad rates have gradually decreased as the roads were extended and improvements introduced they are still much higher than water rates of old, and of late the people aroused to action by the ever-increasing demands of the railroads, have come to realize that our rivers afford what is indeed the cheapest means of transportation, and, following the lead of the national rivers and harbors congress and kindred organizations, they have begun a concerted action looking toward a national organization of the country's transportation system and the rehabilitation of the long-neglected rivers and harbors of the country. So long have these been neglected that nothing short of the most liberal treatment on the part of the nation will be effective in benefiting the whole country, and it is the whole country that needs benefiting.

Therefore, the rivers and harbors congress, backed and sanctioned most heartily in its efforts by senators and congressmen of both parties and prominent public and professional men throughout the country, has undertaken to bring home to the people of the United States the necessity of their asking of congress just what they want in the way of improvements to our national waterways. In this way, and this way only, can the desired ends be secured—noting short of a concerted, systematic demand on the part of the whole people.

Japan has invaded a new field and one which, while it does not come as a rival to home industries, does affect the people of the United States in that this country offers the best market of this new production—canned sardines. Of course, canned sardines are not a new product, but canned sardines from Japan are. This tiny number of the tiny tribe abounds in great numbers in Japanese waters, and heretofore the surplus of the always heavy catch after the demands of home consumption have been met, has been utilized as fertilizer on Japan's farms. Of late, however, numerous canning establishments have been started at various places with a view of competing with the Mediterranean product in far eastern and American markets, at least. As far as taste and quality go, it is said Japan's product is somewhat better than the European, and our sardine-eating citizens may soon expect to find their sardine cans covered with Japanese hieroglyphics instead of the more familiar and easily deciphered Italian labels.

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**Business Rushing, Health Was Good and People Active.**

**Wholesale, Retail, Manufacturing and Transportation Lines Are Pushing Ahead.**

**PROSPECTS ARE EXCELLENT.**

September has been a busy month in all lines of trade. The local wholesale houses report the best business they have ever done in September, and manufacturers have bookings ahead for several months' orders. General conditions are in a healthy condition and collections are good. Railroads and steamboats have shown nice increases in traffic, passenger and freight, and the retailers report an early opening of the fall season. October promises much and finds everyone keen for a busy season.

### Police Department Report.

The police report for September shows a total of 142 arrests as follows: Breach of the peace, 26; disorderly conduct, 48; drunks, 15; chicken stealing, robbery, trespass, 1 each; cruelty to animals and grand larceny, 3 each; rape, 2; immorality, 6; malicious cutting, 7; malevolent shooting, 1; potly largess, scandalous assault, 4; obtaining money by false pretenses, 3; attempt at arson, 2; concealed weapons, 5; receiving stolen property, 2; murder, house-breaking, flourishing pistol, selling liquor without a license, selling cocaine contrary to law, 1 each.

### Railroad Reports.

The freight business in and out of Paducah is reported for September as being heavy. The Illinois Central kept all the yard engines at work constantly, but the business towards the latter part of the month fell off a little. The baggage business was reported comparatively light and the ticket business moderate. This is due to the fact that not so many traveling men are out and the travel to the springs has also fallen off greatly.

### Building Permits.

There was a slump in building in September, due to the approach of cold weather, but the report compares favorably with September last year. Twenty-one permits were issued, the prices ranging from \$30 to \$1,500.

### Burial Permits.

City Clerk Henry Bailey issued 19 burial permits in September, 12 white and 7 colored.

### Schools Doing Well.

The first month's report of the city schools will be interesting because it will show the biggest enrollment in the history of the city. The attendance will not show up so well on account of the inclement weather.

### Postoffice Report.

The report of the postoffice department has not been compiled but will show the best month of the year for receipts. This is due to the fact that Barnum & Bailey employees were paid off and sent money home from here.

### Fire Department Report.

The fire department experienced a quiet month making but 11 runs. Of these one was a heavy loss, being the property of the McKinzie Veneer and Lumber company, estimated at \$2,000. No machinery was lost.

### Riverside Hospital.

The report of Riverside hospital for the month of September is as follows: Patients August 31, 20; admitted, city, 13; private, 21; discharged, city, 7; private, 12. Patients September 30, 16.

There was one birth and three deaths at Riverside hospital in September.

### Marriage Licenses Issued.

September was not a lively month in marriages, the books showing only 37 licenses, 28 white and 9 black.

### City Finances.

September is a dull month. Most of the city taxes are in before that, but by dint of much urging Treasurer Dorian and Auditor Kirkland succeeded in coaxing in \$5,689.62.

The report of city finances for September is:

On hand August 30, . . . . .	\$73,985.89
Collections . . . . .	5,689.62
Disbursements . . . . .	27,206.96
Balance September 30, . . . . .	52,468.49

**Coroner's Report.**  
During September Coroner Frank Baker held 10 inquests.

### I. C. Hospital.

The report of the Illinois Central hospital for the month of September is as follows: Patients August 31,

36; admitted, 122; discharged, 115; deaths, 1. Patients September 30, 43.

**Stamp Deputy's Report.**  
Stamp Deputy L. L. Bobout reports that he collected \$9,111.73 and issued stamps for 809 barrels of liquor.

## SUNSHINE

**FIRST IN WEEK GREETED PADUCAHANS TODAY.**

**Overcoats, Wraps and Gripe Fires Make Sunday Notable—Many People on the Streets.**

If all the people of Paducah were to unite in a hymn, the choice probably would fall on "Let the Blessed Sunshine In."

This morning for the first time in six days the great orb of day sent his shafts in the bedrooms of late sleepers and greeted the eyes of those who were up betimes.

While the gulf cities sustained the great loss from the tropical storm and the northwest recorded the first frost, Paducah took as her portion a good drenching. For a week there was nothing but rain.

Yesterday registered a drop in the temperature and for the first time since early in the spring the reflections of grape fires could be seen in the windows of many homes.

Overcoats and wraps of last session's styles were seen on the street. No one has yet thought of purchasing a new one, and a large proportion of those seen yesterday were wrinkled just as they had laid in the bottom of a trunk all summer. Others were shivering, because pawn tickets will not keep one warm.

An unusual number of people were seen on horseback yesterday—the horse show fever—buggy riding also was popular, after the week of confinement, and the pedestrians who all walked down Broadway were greeted by the first sight of the beautiful display windows of the merchants, ready for the big event of the week.

It seems that even nature intends to make this week notable in Paducah.

### Proclamation to the Citizens of Paducah.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 1, 1906.

On account of the immigration convention, which meets in this city on October 4th and 5th, and to aid and encourage this, and also the promoters of the horse show at this time, I would respectfully request that all business houses and private residences, as far as possible, will decorate in honor of the occasion, and will aid in every way possible to make both of these institutions a success to Paducah and her citizens, and give visitors to this city a genuine Kentucky welcome. Respectfully,

D. A. YEISER,  
Mayor, city of Paducah, Ky.

### \$1.75 Nashville and Return \$4.75 Tennessee State Fair.

Account of the above occasion the N. C. and St. L. will sell tickets from Paducah to Nashville and return on October 6 and October 8 to 13 inclusive, for \$1.75, good returning October 15.

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